(*d*) Owing to want of sanction to estimates, delay in land acquisition etc.

Pension to retired officers residing outside Travancore.

17. *MR. G. VELU PILLAI: Will the Government be pleased to state the amount sent outside the State in 1115 and 1116 respectively by way of pension to officers who after retirement from Government service reside outside Travancore?

MR. A. LEKSHMINARAYANA AIYAR (*Financial Secretary to Government*): The amounts paid during 1115 and 1116 through other Governments by way of pensions to pensioners of the State residing outside are given below;—

1115	Rs. 2,01,799
1116	Rs. 1,97,268

Grant-in-aid to allopathic dispensaries.

18. *MR. A. K. KUMARAN VAIDYAN: Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have given any grant-in-aid to any allopathic dispensary in the State during this year and if so, the names of those dispensaries and the taluks in which they are located?

VAIDYASASTRAKUSALA DR. (MRS.) M. POONEN LUKOSE: No grants were given this year to any new allopathic dispensary.

Land tax in Suchindram pakuthi.

19. *MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the total number of pattadars paying land tax through Suchindram pakuthi cutcherry in 1116; and

(*b*) the total number of persons to whom demand notices were sent in 1116?

MR. K. KUNJAN PILLAI: (*a*) 1,180

(*b*) 860

Malayalam Training school at Mavelikara.

20. *MR. P. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Mavelikara* cum *Kunnattur*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they have decided to shift the Malayalam Training School at Mavelikara from the present site; and

(*b*) if so, the reasons for the same?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON (*Director of Public Instruction*): (*a*) No.

(*b*) Does not arise in view of the answer to part (*a*).

Inspectors and Sub-Inspectors in the Excise Department.

21. *MR. A K. KUMARAN VAIDYAN: Will the Government be pleased to state, by caste, the number of Inspectors and Sub-Inspectors in the Excise Department?

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